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Mr. Adam LeBrecht Utilities Division Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

RE: Staff's 2nd Set of Data Requests to Comcast Phone of Arizona, LLC

Docket No. T-04293A-04-0870

Dear Mr. LeBrecht:

Enclosed please find the responses to Staff's 2^{nd} set of data requests to Comcast Phone of Arizona, LLC.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Patten

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COMCAST PHONE OF ARIZONA, LLC RESPONSES TO STAFF'S SECOND SET OF DATA REQUESTS **DOCKET NO. T-04293A-04-0870**

AJL 2-1:

Please provide an explanation of the term "exchange access

services."

RESPONSE:

The term "exchange access" refers to the provision of exchange services for the purpose of originating or terminating interexchange telecommunications. Such services are provided by facilities in an exchange area for the transmission, switching or routing of interexchange telecommunications originating or terminating within the exchange area. As defined by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 251, 252, exchange access is the "offering of telephone exchange services or facilities for the purpose of origination or termination

of telephone toll services.

RESPONDENT:

John G. Sullivan, Vice President and Chief Counsel, Comcast

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AJL 2-2:

Please indicate if the Applicant believes that a CC&N is needed to provide exchange access services within the State of Arizona.

RESPONSE:

Yes. Pursuant to the Arizona Revised Statutes, section 40-281, it is the understanding of Comcast Phone of Arizona, LLC ("Comcast Phone-AZ") that a CC&N is necessary to operate as a Telecommunications Corporation within the State of Arizona. A Telecommunications Corporation, as defined by the Arizona Revised Statutes, at section 40-201(26), is a "public service corporation other than municipal engaged in transmitting messages or furnishing public telegraph or telephone service or operating as a telecommunications common carrier." Thus, as a provider of exchange access services within the State of Arizona, Comcast Phone-AZ intends to operate as a Telecommunications Corporation.

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AJL 2-3:

Please indicate if the Applicant intends on providing services other than "exchange access" services. If so, please provide the tariffs for any/all services the Applicant is requesting authority to provide in Arizona.

RESPONSE:

Comcast Phone-AZ intends to initially provide only exchange access services within the State of Arizona. Comcast Phone-AZ may expand its offerings to provide a full suite of voice and other telecommunications services at a later date, however, Comcast Phone-AZ currently has no plans that include such expanded service offerings. Comcast Phone-AZ will file with the Commission the appropriate interexchange and/or local exchange services tariffs, in the event that Comcast Phone-AZ intends to offer such services at a later date.

RESPONDENT:

John G. Sullivan, Vice President and Chief Counsel, Comcast Phone II, Inc.